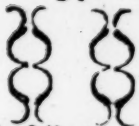


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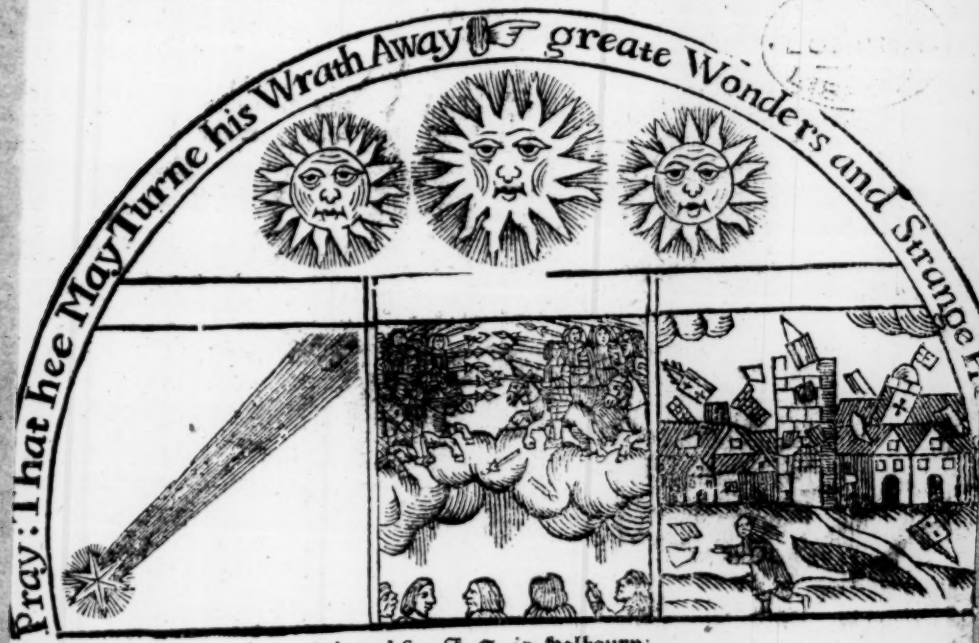
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With the Account of the memorable *Eclipses*, and their
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TIs no wonder, if so many strange *Events* and *Accidents* are hidden from the fore-sight of Man-kind, since so few addict themselves to the understanding the *Celestial* *Intelligences*, in their sundry *Aspects*, *Motions*, *Conjunctions* and *Configurations*, seeing by them as by the *Monitors* of *Heaven*, are pointed out the *Rise* and *Decay* of *Empires*, *Kingdoms*, and *States*, *Wars*, *Plague*, *Famine*, *Fire*, *Losses*, and the like, which the more judicious frequently fore-see; and which, by true and timely *Repentance* may be averted, and the Almighty Hand stay'd, ever then when it is lifted up to give the *Fatal Stroke*, as appears by the *Ninevites Humiliation*, *David's* opposing himself to the destroying *Angel*, *Hezekiah's* Prayer, that delivered him from appointed Death, and many other *Examples* found in *Holy Writ*, and other Warrantable *Records*, &c. But not to be tedious in the Beginning, I now Proceed to give the *Reader* the Sum of the *Predictions*, *Prophecies*, or *Prognostications*, for the Year, 1689. As I find them set down by these Four most Learned and Judicious *Astrologers*, whose hitherto approved Truths fore-told, have struck the World with no small Wonder and Amazement.

This Year, says Mr. Patridge,

BEgins with no Extraordinary Action, but Great Councils and Consultations, which may be hoped to very Good Purpose for at the *Post-venturnal New Moon*; Two Days after its Ingress the Moon applies to the Sextile of Saturn, to which may be added the Conjunction of the Fortunes & the Sextile of the Sun & Saturn which in the *Starry Dissects*, are Arguments of a Quiet and Peaceable Time; and much better (perhaps) than expected, for there are very Emergencies, Good or Bad, that happen in the World, but have some Manifestation from the Configuration of the *Heavens*; and they from the Beginning of the Year, till towards the Spring, seem to Denote nothing less than a Stability of Worldly Affairs, were not the two *Infortunes Stars*, so called, posited in a *Head-strong, Valicious, and Treacherous Sign*; however the Benevolent Positions of the Favourable Planets, Mitigate the Evil pretended, from whence we may conclude, and hope for better Things than many ill Spirited Persons desire; Though to other Countrys, under their Influence to Mars and Saturn in *Scorpio*, threatened *Rebellious Murders, War, Falshood, Perjury, Violation, or Breach of Leagues*, between Neighbouring Princes, *Dissensions, Controversies, Murders*, with *Backbitings* amongst Relations; some siding with one Party or Country, and some with another; having thus discoursed of the first part of the Year, he proceeds to the second.

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Seas plagu'd with Pirates, Thieves infect the Land,

Ease proves diseases to each unruly Hand.

And thus much for the *predictions* of this learned Man, from whence we proceed to give you an account of the *Predictions* and *Astrological Judgments* of others in General, for the year 1689. as taken from their own hands, &c.

In the Beginning of the Year, says Mr. Tanner,

Saturn being in the *Ascending* part of *Heaven*, and *Jupiter* in the *Angle* of the *Earth*, signifie *Insurrections*, opposing *Princes*, undermining *Government*, as also *Mutations* and *Changes* in the Affairs of *Princes* and *States* *Alterations* in *Laws*, &c. Threatning especially the *Ottoman Empire*, and not looking very favourably upon *Italy*, and some of the *German Princes*, who will be detrimented in their Affairs, and others find some difficulty and heaviness in the management of their *Estates* and *Government*, and the *quartile Aspect* of *Saturn* and *Mars*, Denote many bold, daring and unusual *Roberies*; and if *Saturn* shall be in *Scorpio*, having *North Latitude*, it threatens abundance of *Rain*, over-flowing of *Rivers*, and *Sea-banks*, corruption of *Waters*; and if *Oriental*, it Denotes *Wars* and *Contentions*, between *Noble men* and their *Kings* and *Governours*, &c. Especially those Countrys under *Aquarius*, *Scorpio* and *Leo*: Yet as to us, we find that *Saturn* and *Jupiter*, are aptly towards their *Trine Aspects*, which carry a signification of *Love* and *Friendship* along with them, and in *May* they are partially so figurated, and so continue in the following *July*, intimating *Enticesses*, *Treaties* for peace, & hopeful proposals, which will be promoted by fundry well-designing people, if not hindered by some Malevolent *Aspect*, stirring up such as may give it a disturbance; however, in the following *Quarter*, the *Aspects* are more favourable, and give hopes of a great settlement of Affairs, which God of his Mercy, Grant, especially to these Kingdoms.

To these we may add what He says in his prediction for the Year, 1689.

THe Configuration of Heaven, (says he) attending the Solar Ingress, are of a pretty mild and calm Nature, and the heavenly Bodies are moderately disposed, as to their Mutual Aspects, yet to Foreign Countrys they prove not so favourable, but threatens them with mortal Action, especially the Turks, Tartars, Polonians, &c. yet soon after, Calmness may probably insue, and we may reasonably expect to hear of a greater Calm, tho' some other Aspect threaten to keep the World in Action; nor are the Eclipse of this to be held of little account in their Effects and Significations, according to the Rules of Astrology, and since we have spoke sufficiently of other prognostical Effects, produced by the Planets and Heavenly Bodys; what is most Noted of them, is material to be laid down.

Of the Eclipses, and what is observable from them this year, 1689. according to Mr. Andrews.

THe First Eclipse will be upon the 25th. of March, being of the Moon, between the hours of 6 & 7 at Night, being a total & centerial Eclipse, and is to be seen in England, if the Clouds or Mists intercept it not. Its beginning will be at 39 Minutes past 4 a Clock; the beginning of total Darkeness will be at 45 Minutes past Five, the middle or greatest Observation about 44 Minutes past Six. The beginning of the Moons Recovering Light; about 43 Minutes past 7; & the end about 49 Minutes towards 8; and at the time of these Eclipses, Saturn is in the Fourth Degree of Scorpio, Retrograde in the ascendant: Jupiter and Mars are in the Fourth house, Jupiter being in the 23d Degree of Aquarius, and Mars in the 6th. Degree, thereof the Sun and Caput Draconis, are in the 7th. house in the 15th. Degree of Aries, and Mercury is in the 6th. house, and in the 10th. Degree of the same sign, Retrograde; but to come near in this matter, it is the Opinion of the Learned, that an Eclipse so posited, is of no Benevolent Nature, but Denotes, Sorrow, Labour; Imprisonment; secret Contrivences, clandestine Actions, and Negotiations, &c. Wherefore it may be reasonably conjectured, that those Countrys subject to its Effects,

Effects, may happen to fall under some unexpected *Disorder*; however, we are of *Opinion*, that those being only secondary Causes, *prompting* and not *compelling*, may by the *over-ruling power* of God, be prevented, for in his hands are the *Breath of Life* and *Actions* of *Mankind*, on whom we ought to Rely for our *safety & preservation*. The second considerable *Eclipse* is of the *Moon*, on the 19th. day of *September*, about half an hour after 2 of the Clock in the *Morning*, which will be a *total and central Eclipse*, visible with us, if the Air be *serene* and not *over-cast* with *Clouds*: The beginning will be about 15 Minutes past Midnight; the beginning of *total Darkness*, about 56 Minutes past one of the Clock; the middle or greatest observation, about 48 Minutes past two of the Clock; the beginning, or recovering Light, about 14 Minutes past three of the Clock, and the end about 46 Minutes past four of the Clock, the *total Duration* about 3 hours and 54 Minutes, and the *Digits Eclipsed*, will be 20 & 39 Minutes, and the most *material Configurations* attending this *Eclipse*, are the opposition of *Jupiter* and *Venus*, and of *Saturn* and *Mars*, it happening in the Eighth House, called by *Astrologers* *Domus*, moans and laments in the seventh, which they call the *Angles of War, Quarrels, Strife*, and contentious *Mars* is Lord of *Aries*, where the *Eclipse* falls out, is *Retrgrade* and in his *Detriment*, so that the Effects may seem to be of no pleasant Importance, as furthermore happening in the *Fiery Triplicity*, and first *Decant* of *Aries*. and in this Case, according to the Learned, it Denotes the motion of *Armies*, *Death*, and *Destruction* of small *Cattle*, *Fumity* between the *Vulgar* and *Noble sort* of people, *Murthers*, *Thefts*, *Discords*, *Wars*, *Sharp Favour*, *apparitions* in the *Air*, and *Mutations* in those parts subject to the sign. *Woe* is in the happens, which we earnestly wish may be Averted from us, and that we may enjoy our *Religion*, *Liberty* and *Property* in *peace* and *plenty*. Amen, Amen.



